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the Class of 1930 arrived in Meiningen early in 1951. Approximately 130 men of this Class were assigned to the 117th, and most of them were immediately enrolled in regimental schools.
Men of the Class of 1927 in Germany had not yet been demobilized but were being demobilized in the USSR. There were rumors among the troops, however, that men of the 1927 Class stationed in the Soviet Zone would be demobilized in Germany in the near future.

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units were below T/O & E strength. The gun platoon was authorized two officers, three NCO's and three privates, and a machine gun platoon, one officer, three NCO's and twelve privates. The machine gun platoon had one officer, one NCO of the Class of 1928, two NCO's of the Class of 1929, four privates of the Class of 1928 and four privates of the Class of 1929.

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5. [redacted] Soviet Army units in Germany [redacted] are the following:

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<u>UNIT</u>	<u>LOCATION</u>
117th Guards Rifle Regiment.....	Meiningen
120th Guards Rifle Regiment.....	Unknown
112th Guards Rifle Regiment.....	Unknown
1st Rifle Battalion.....	Sonneberg
2nd Rifle Battalion.....	Unknown
3rd Rifle Battalion.....	Hq at Meiningen

UNITS WITHIN THE 117th GUARDS RIFLE REGIMENT

Regimental NCO School.....	Meiningen
Divisional Chauffeurs School.....	Rudolstadt
117th Regimental Hq Company.....	Meiningen
Machine Gun Company.....	Sonneberg
45mm Gun Battery.....	Meiningen

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